

THIS CITY GETS KIND OF MOVIES IT WANTS

And Will Continue to Get The Same as Long as House is Packed Nightly, Says Dr. Jones

"I am not dealing in personalities, and have no criticism to offer the management of your local movie house," said Dr. Horace I. Jones, Professor of Greek and Languages of Cornell University, in a speech here Monday night. "It probably gives the kind of pictures the people want, and will continue to do so as long as Elizabeth City people pack the house nightly. When the public demands better pictures it will get them, but for my part I would never permit a child of mine to visit such a show as I saw there Saturday night."

"A man is shown on the screen who the a criminal, is caused by some subterfuge or substitution to escape the penalty of his crimes, and to marry the beautiful heroine and live happily ever after. Isn't that an example to set before the young people who 25 years from today will be citizens of your community?"

This was one of the things covered by Dr. Jones in his discussion of the needs of Elizabeth City for an uplifting element like Community Service for its playtime hours.

Plain Truth.

One of the sublimest things in this world is plain truth.—Coleridge.

HOUSE MOVING BUILDING, ETC.

J. H. PRICE

108 Dyer St. Elizabeth City F4-131.

NOTICE

I have sold my vulcanizing business and will give my entire time to

Automobile Repairs
And shall start February 7,

—at—

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Full Line of Accessories

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FARMERS TO MEET SATURDAY 12, AT COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

The farmers of Pasquotank county are requested to attend a meeting Saturday 12, at 2 p. m. in County Agent G. W. Falls' office. J. M. Workman, warehouse specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be present to assist in solving one of the great problems before the Southern farmer.

T. B. Parker of Raleigh will be present as a representative of the state warehouse funds which are being used to construct bonded warehouses in North Carolina.

Every farmer interested in improving his conditions is requested to be present and bring his friends to hear these men discuss subjects of much interest to the agriculturists of the south.

MAKING A LONG VOYAGE

Raymond W. Midgett, formerly of Elizabeth City who for the past two years has been with the Colonial Electrical Company of Newport News has shipped as electrician on the new Pacific Mail Steamship "Golden Gate" which was recently launched at Newport News, and is now making the voyage to San Francisco via the Panama Canal. After stopping at the California port the ship will sail for China and Japan, the total voyage consuming about eight months.

THE FIG LEAF TRUST

The newspaper man is always poor, And seldom a cent has he;
So I've found a plan to keep the wolf from the door
And make myself as rich as John D.
Ten acres I'll buy of this poor land,
I'll fence it and plow it deep;
Then plant it in fig trees, as thick as will stand.
And Gee! What a harvest I'll reap.

Ten years hence when dresses and hose Forever have passed out of style,
The world will be seeking new fabrics for clothes
And I will be making my pile.

Oh! what shall I care if I'm cursed,
And rated the monarch of thieves:
I'll charge a straight price with my "Fig Leaf Trust."

Ten dollars apiece for the leaves. —D. V. M.

THE REASON

Who wants to know why
The sweet little dears
So anxiously try
To cover their ears?

This reason supplied,
Perhaps may be real:
There's nothing beside
For them to conceal

—D. V. M.

Possible Saving of Lumber.
If spools were wound with 200, instead of 100 to 150, yards of thread, 365 car loads of lumber would be saved each year.

TO THE HOUSEKEEPER!

RUGS

We wish to say that we have Just received a shipment of RUGS and Chinese and Japanese mattings; woven in the newest and prettiest patterns, and are going at a new price. We ask that you come and make your selection as it is now house cleaning time.

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Elizabeth City, N. C.

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Have you got your copy of THE INDEPENDENT'S 1921 Almanac? There is one here for you. It is the only free Almanac you will get this year that isn't full of patent medicine or guano advertising. It's all almanac and not a volume of cheap advertising. It is attractive printed and bound in a four color pictorial cover. If you can't call for one, just drop us a line and inclose stamp for

postage. No need to write a letter. Just say: "Send me your almanac" and write your name and address plainly. To save postage you could order for several of your neighbors at the same time.

MANY COUPLES EMBARK ON MATRIMONIAL OCEAN

WINSLOW—COMMANDER
Joe H. Winslow, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Winslow of this city and Miss Lucile Commander were married

Saturday afternoon at Orlando, Florida where Mr. Winslow is on business for the Manhattan Life Insurance Company.

CLEVELAND—ARMSTRONG

Dr. Edward Wadsworth Cleveland of Ginghampton, N. Y. and Miss Adelaide Pringle Armstrong of Norfolk, Va. were united in marriage Monday night by Rev. H. K. Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church at his home on Main street.

MARKHAM—HARRIS

LeRoy Markham, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Markham of Weeksville, and Miss Elizabeth Harris, daughter of Mrs. Mary Harris of the same section, were married in this city Sunday morning by Rev. E. L. Stack, at his home in Ehringhaus street. The couple will make their home in Weeksville.

MAHAN—DAVIS

A marriage resulting from a courtship considerably romantic was quietly

performed Monday by Dr. Geo. W. Clarke, at his home on Burgess street. The bridegroom is James A. Mahan, a sailor from Pawtucket, Rhode Island and the bride was Miss Mary A. Davis of Lonsdale, Rhode Island. Their ages were given as 26 and 20 years respectively. The lover was stationed at Norfolk and his sweetheart came all the way from Rhode Island to marry but as she was under 21, they couldn't married in Virginia without parental consent, so it was found necessary to come to this city.

FIRE SALE

Beginning Friday, Feb. 11 at 9 o'clock Sharp
at Scott & Twiddy's Old Stand

THIS STOCK HAS TO BE SOLD AND WILL BE OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC FOR A SONG The merchandise in this sale is slightly damaged by water but is in very good shape. We were delayed by the insurance adjusters, but now we are at liberty to proceed with this sale. *Don't Forget the Date! Friday, February 11th at 9 o'clock sharp.* If you cannot come yourself, send some one in your place. Nothing is to be reserved---everything must be sold. Come prepared to supply your needs.

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